

We believe that the way to have a deep and lasting impact in the lives of foster youth is to be with them over the long haul. Refer your youth to this free College Readiness Program and get them on the path to success.



UNITED FRIENDS of the CHILDREN
Preparing Foster Youth for a Future That Works

ELIGIBILITY

- Los Angeles County foster youth (i.e., Court Ordered Family Maintenance Cases, Legal Guardianship, Kin-GAP, Group Home, and recent adoption or reunification)
- Youth must be between grades 7-9
- Youth who could benefit from an academic boost or who demonstrate academic potential (GPA is not a factor!)
- Youth residing in Altadena, Baldwin Hills, Carson, Compton, Downey, Gardena, Hawthorne, Inglewood, Long Beach (North), Los Angeles (South/Central), Lynwood, Paramount, Pasadena, Sylmar, and Watts

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- UFC-generated reports on services provided for use in court reports
- Assistance during TDMs, TILPs, IEP meetings, etc.
- Youth stays in program even if case closes or placement changes
- One-on-one support and free tutoring provided at home
- Round trip transportation to events, free of charge

PAYING FOR COLLEGE

college sponsorships
internships + financial planning
career planning + post-graduate support



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COLLEGE APPLICATIONS

college application assistance
college counseling + tours
summer programs + work experience



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THE COLLEGE TRACK

academic planning
workshops + college fairs
educational retreats



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IMPROVING GRADES

educational support
tutoring + mentoring
enrichment activities



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AGE

COLLEGE READINESS PROGRAM

REFERRAL PROCESS

- Complete the attached form or call Carolina Diaz at (213) 975-1406
- Either fax form to (213) 580-1820 or email to Carolina@unitedfriends.org